

Information Network of Kansas



October 2008
Executive Director's Report

For Month Ending: September 2008

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ITEC: (Executive council comprised of private and public representatives charged with the adoption of IT policies for the state enterprise (All Branches))

- Did not meet in September

ITAB: (State IT representatives who meet monthly to discuss ongoing upcoming and current status of issues facing the state IT enterprise.)

- Met September 16th
- Received update on current status of Wichita Data Center buildout
 - Facility is being created for business continuity and disaster recovery site for state entities
- Received update from State Web Accessibility Coordinator on future plans for web page accessibility standards
- Lisa and I gave a presentation of the KBC website wireframe and future plans

IT Security Council: (State security professionals from large and small agencies to discuss security policy considerations for the state)

- Co-chair briefed committee on current enterprise security issues and incidents
- Discussed next steps for finalizing RFP vendor selection to perform comparative analysis to align state's default IT Security Policy and Security Awareness Assessment documents to align with current NIST document 800-53.
 - Assisted in providing Committee justification to State Procurement Office for recommendation
 - Contract awarded, scheduling conference call with vendor to discuss project kickoff.

Kansas PKI (Information Technology Identity Management Group (ITIMG)) (State agency representatives from KDOR, KSOS, GIS, KITO and INK who oversee the PKI for Kansas)

- Participated in review of Kansas Administrative Regulations as related to PKI Certificate Policy changes to ensure consistency.
- Provided certificate pricing pro forma for contract to ITIMG.
- Reviewing documentation and requirements regarding Local Hosting and Federal Bridget requirements. Hardware requirements received and forwarded to KIC for review and incremental purchase prices. Performed conference call meeting with Verisign representatives to review proposal. Calculating total cost of ownership for moving to Local Hosting environment.
- Finalizing plans to perform a fall clinic for state entities to discuss enterprise identity management and use of digital signatures.

Legislature

- Attended Legislative Coordinating Council Administrative meeting and full session to monitor and be available for any questions regarding the approval of both INK contracts.
- Meet with Legislative Staff, as necessary to discuss any issues and next year's session

Topeka IT Leadership Forum

- Attended monthly meeting with IT leaders from surrounding Topeka area business and state entities.
- Discussed presentation from Gartner regarding the changing roles of the CIO and the need to connect more tightly with the business side of an organization.

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Grants:

- Sent letter to ECC informing them of the award for grant request for \$148,950 to upgrade their satellite uplink from analog to digital. The grant would enhance communication capabilities for Kansas education entities, KDHE, Kansas Bar Association, the EPA, commercial and local TV stations and the public with the ability to reach nearly 2.5 million viewers. The grant would replace obsolete equipment and provide an integral component to provide town hall meetings and legislative briefings.

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*changes are in red

Educational Communications Center

- Total Expended: \$0
- Remaining Grant Balance: \$148,950
- Status: Project On-going
- Original Grant End Date: June 30, 2009

Board of Tax Appeals Case Management System:

- Total Expended: \$220,270
- Remaining grant balance: \$104,730
- Status: Project on-going
- Original Grant End Date: December 2007
- Current Grant End Date: July 2008

Kansas Indicators for the Kansas Economy (IKE)

- Total Expended: \$5,000
- Remaining Grant Balance: \$65,000
- Status: Project on-going
- Grant End Date: July 2008

Juvenile Justice Authority

- Total Expended: \$5,000
- Remaining grant balance: 0
- Status: **COMPLETED**

Kansas Dept of Administration

- Total Expended: \$203,437
- Remaining Grant Balance: \$7,562
- Status: **COMPLETED**

Kansas Association of Counties/Kansas Collaborative

- Total Expended: \$19,000
- Remaining Grant Balance: \$1,000
- Status: **COMPLETED**

Kansas Historical Society: Kansas Memory

- Total Expended: \$90,530
- Remaining Grant Balance: 0
- Status: **COMPLETED**

KDOR Vehicle Information Processing System (VIPS) Feasibility Study

- Total Expended: 274,200
- Remaining Balance: \$0
- Status: **COMPLETED**

Kansas GIS Phase II: A Systemic Answer

- Total Expended: \$95,000
- Remaining grant balance: \$0
- Status: **COMPLETED**

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Kansas Public Television Stations (KPTS) Statehouse Spotlight

- Total Expended: \$108,771.11
- Remaining Grant Balance: \$11,978.90
- Status: **COMPLETED**